

STATE OF CALIFORNIA



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To : EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
RAMON ALVAREZ, C., PRESIDENT
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Subject: DISCUSSION CONCERNING LEGISLATION

The following provides a summary of pending State legislation that is of interest to the New Motor Vehicle Board ("Board"). The criteria for reporting on "legislation of general interest" is that the bill impacts the Vehicle Code, the Board, and/or the automotive industry in general and does not directly impact the Board or its enabling statute. For purposes of this report "legislation of special interest" is that which directly affects the Board's laws or functions.

Bill summaries include a brief overview of the bill as provided by the Legislative Counsel's Digest or the Congressional Research Service, if available, as well as the current status of the bill.¹

a. Legislation of Special Interest:

(1) **Assembly Bill 2330 - Assembly Member Bigelow** (Introduced February 13, 2018)

Status: Chaptered by Secretary of State (Ch. 537, Stats. 2018)

Support: Recreational Vehicle Industry Association

Opposition: None

Legislative Counsel's Digest: Recreational vehicle dealers: temporary branch licenses

Existing law requires that a recreational vehicle dealer being issued a temporary branch license for selling new recreational vehicles at a show submit certain documentation to the Department of Motor Vehicles, including, for example, a manufacturer's written authorization for the sale specifying the dates and location of the show. Existing law imposes certain requirements if 9 or fewer dealers are participating in the show, including that the show is 50 miles or more from the dealer's established place of business, and that promotional materials include the name and established place of business of each participating dealer. Existing law excepts from those requirements, a recreational vehicle dealer participating in

¹ All statutory references are to the Vehicle Code, unless otherwise indicated.

an annual show sponsored by a national trade association of recreational vehicle manufacturers, if the show is located in a county with a population of 6,000,000 or more persons.

This bill would recast those provisions to except a recreational vehicle dealer being issued a temporary branch license from those requirements if the show is located in a county with a population of 9,000,000 or more persons, or at a location within 30 miles from the prior approved location of the show, and at least 10 manufacturers are participating in the show.

This bill would declare that it is to take effect immediately as an urgency statute.

b. Legislation of General Interest:

None.

c. Pending Federal Legislation of General Interest:

None.

This matter is for information only at the November 7, 2018, General Meeting. If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact me at (916) 324-6197 or Danielle at (916) 327-3129.